

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

HB 766 – SB 1238

March 14, 2017

SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL: Expands the definition of “healthcare provider” to include a person who is registered or certified in accordance with Title 63 of the Tennessee Code Annotated and is under the division of the health-related boards. Amends qualifications and record-keeping requirements related to central service technicians. Clarifies that diagnostic medical sonographers are authorized to perform tasks or functions of central service technicians while performing the duties of sonographers.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (005111): Deletes and replaces language in the original bill to remove the provision that authorized a student or intern performing the functions of a central service technician under the direct supervision of a diagnostic medical sonographer while performing the duties of a sonographer as part of the student's or intern's training or internship to perform the tasks or functions of a central service technician.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

Assumption for the bill as amended:

- Based on information provided by the Department of Health, it is estimated that the proposed legislation will have no impact on programs or health-related boards; therefore, any fiscal impact is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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